



PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re PATENT APPLICATION of

Kurt Alan RUBIN et al.	)	Art Unit:	2651
Serial No.: 10/042,132	)	Examiner:	N. Figueroa
Filed: January 11, 2002	)	Atty Dkt:	ARC919990196US1
For: PATTERNED MEDIA HAVING OFFSET TRACKS	)		

**AMENDMENT**

**MAIL STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT**

Commissioner For Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 20, 2004, please amend the above-captioned application as set forth below, and reconsider the above-captioned application in view of the following remarks.